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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

The above-referenced patent application was filed with unsigned Declaration (37 CFR 1.63) for Utility Application Using an Application Data Sheet and Power of Attorney forms. Transmitted herewith is a fully executed Declaration (37 CFR § 1.63) for Utility or Design Application Using an Application Data Sheet form and Power of Attorney forms for the subject application.

A Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) was received from the Patent and Trademark Office.

The Notification of Missing Requirements indicates that the subject application does not comply with the sequence requirements of 37 CFR §§1.821-1.825. Attached with this Transmittal Letter is a Submission of Sequence Listing Under 37 CFR §§1.821-1.825 providing the sequence listing in computer readable format.

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